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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 2

Part B for July 1923

SUBJECT

Question of granting certificate of approval to persons already holding licenses

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TO

offg Director, Department of Geology.

States that a certificate of approval may be granted to our M.L. Kandla maniya

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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From the Offg Director of Geology
2187 & 19-6-23

Requests orders as to whether it is necessary for Mr. Vardhamanaiya to obtain a certificate of approval prior to obtaining fresh leases, although he holds three mineral licenses & concessions or whether good will make an exception in his case.

Submitted for order.

Asst. 28/6/23
27-6-23.

The fact that according to rule 366 of the Rules for the grant of licences & leases a certificate of approval is valid for only one year and has to be renewed every year shows that no exception can be made in the case of Mr. Vardhamana, though doubtless he is well known in the mining industry since he has held licenses & leases for even before the revised rules were introduced in May 1920. G.O. No. 425 8.05-60/Geo. 57-18-4 & 12-5-1920 authorises the Director of Geology himself issue such certificates in the case of persons already holding licenses & leases.

The Director may if agreed be informed that his understanding of rules is correct.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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3	To. The Director Govt Press c/o Govt Stationery Store with reference to your Statement a certified copy of approval may be issued to the applicant on payment of the prescribed fee

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No. 2187

Dated, Bangalore, 19th June 1923

From A. M. SEN, Esquire, M.Sc., F.G.S., &c.,
~~B. JAYA-RAM, Esquire, F.G.S.,~~
Offg. *Director, Mysore Geological Department.*

To

T. E. Jeyarama Aiyar, Esqr., B.A., B.L.,
Revenue Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

20 JUN 1923

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Sir,

I have the honour to submit to Government for orders an extract from letter No.Asb.195, dated 5th June 1923, from Mr. M. L. Vardhamanaiah in the matter of obtaining a certificate of approval under the Rules.

2. Mr. Vardhamanaiah applied on the 18th May for a prospecting license for asbestos over a block of about 1* square miles in the Hole Narasipur Taluk. The application was returned to him for re-submission in the prescribed form under the rules at present in force and in conformity therewith. In returning the same it was also pointed out that he should obtain a certificate of approval as required by the rules. The letter under submission is the one received in reply thereto.

3. Since he has been granted certain concessions and protection in respect of asbestos in the State, Mr. Vardhamanaiah considers that it is not necessary for him to obtain a certificate. This, I beg to submit, is not correct. It may be that the concessions granted to him amount to the grant of a certificate that he is a fit person to hold licenses and leases. But it is necessary that the Rules have to be complied with. To enable Mr. Vardhamanaiah to acquire fresh licenses, etc.

etc., under the rules it is necessary that he should be the holder of a valid certificate of approval. Since the introduction of these certificates Mr. Vardhamanaiah has not obtained one and there was no occasion for the Department either to insist on his obtaining one, since there was no application from him for any fresh license. The occasion has now come and the necessity was therefore pointed out to him.

4. As Mr. Vardhamanaiah is the holder of a number of licenses already and since he has also been granted certain concessions and protection in respect of asbestos and has done a good amount of work in connection with the asbestos industry, I can issue to him a certificate of approval in pursuance of Government Order No.G.25809-10/ Geol.57-18-19, dated 12th May 1920, on receipt of an application from him in the prescribed form accompanied by the fee. This will enable him to apply for and acquire any fresh licenses under the rules.

5. The favour of early orders is solicited as to whether I may inform Mr. Vardhamanaiah that the obtaining of an approval certificate under the rules is necessary to enable him to acquire fresh licenses, although he is the holder of certain concessions from the Government or whether Government would be pleased to make an exception in his case under the above circumstances.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

A. M. Sen

Offg. Director,
Mysore Geological Department.

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Letter No.Asb.195, dated 5th June 1923, from Mr. M. L. Vardhamanaiah, Doddapetta, Mysore, to the Offg. Director, Mysore Geological Department, Bangalore.

I beg to acknowledge your letter No.2032 of the 1st instant, returning my application dated 18th May for a prospecting license for asbestos in the Hole Narasipur Taluk. In regard to your observations, I beg to submit as follows:-

(1) I note your instructions and the application will be made in the printed form kindly sent by you.

(2) In this clause you have been pleased to remark that I should be the holder of a valid certificate of approval before any license or lease can be sanctioned in my favour. It is hardly necessary for me to submit to you that the grant of the concessions for prospecting and mining asbestos in the State, as notified to me by you in your letter No.2014 of the 30th May, is quite a valid certificate. If however you still think that an approval certificate apart from the above Government Order is necessary, I reques you to kindly send me a form which I regret to note has not been enclosed as stated in your letter.

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"Extract"

A. M. Sen

Offg. Director,

Mysore Geological Department.

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Signed by W. M. S. R. Rao.

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No. J.C. 265

To The Director, Dept of Geology

Sir,

With reference to your telegs no 2187 dt 19-6-23, I am directed to state that a certificate of approval may be issued to Mr. M.L. Vardhamanaiya in pursuance of Govt orders no G. 25809-10/Geol 57-18-19 dt 12-5-1920 on payment of the prescribed fee

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